

The Hondo Anvil Herald.

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LOCAL & PERSONAL

BAPTIST NEWS NOTES.

Pipe, fittings, etc., at Holloway
Cement and lime. HONDO LUM-
BER CO. 24-1t
L. J. Brucks, lawyer; office over
the Tag Store. tf
Kahn's Paint and Varnish. HON-
DO LUMBER CO. 24-1t
RUBBING ALCOHOL, 25c a pint,
FLY DRUG CO.
Mr. Louis Biediger of LaCoste was
visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. Gus A. Keller was here from
Coste Tuesday on business.
Mr. E. J. Murray spent several
days the past week in San Antonio.
Mr. S. A. Jungman and son, An-
dreas, were LaCoste visitors Sunday.
Wool and Mohair sacks. Also handle
wool and mohair. Holloway
Miss Mae Routt was a pleasant
visitor at this office yesterday after-
noon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bippert and
of LaCoste were visitors here
yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mechler were
from Castroville Monday on
business.

M. E. Dubose and R. M. Redus
were business visitors here
yesterday.

Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon and chil-
dren of Castroville were visitors here
yesterday this week.

Mrs. Walter Rothe was a patient at
Medina Hospital on January 26th

medical treatment.

Mrs. Howard Short and baby of the
Mrs. Ranch spent several days here

Mrs. E. Leinweber.

Mrs. W. Burger of Dunlay under-
went a minor operation at the Me-
dia Hospital on January 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jungman were
from Austin over the week-end
business and visiting friends.

For Rent—two unfurnished rooms,

and electricity. Call at Anvil
office or phone 127-3 rings.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grube spent
day in Castroville with Mrs.

his mother, Mrs. A. H. Tondre.

GLOEE OR CUTTERS HEMOR-
RAGIC SEPTICEMIA BACTERIN

quick immunity, sold by Fly
Co.

Mr. W. B. Odom was a business
at this office yesterday, moving
his date another notch to the
paper.

Mr. Willie Rihn and son, Bill Rihn,
Castroville, visited Mr. Louis Rihn,

has been very ill here for several
days.

R. W. MERRILL, Pastor.

George Sauter and Vernor Wie-
mann attended the Hornets-Joske
football game in San Antonio
yesterday night.

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Liebr of Castroville were visi-
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DID YOU EVER STOP TO THINK

By Edson R. Waite, Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Harmony can do wonderful things for some cities.
Advertising a city is a business—not child's play
People will go miles to get to a good, live city to trade.
No advertising gives as quick returns as newspaper advertising.
Business comes where it is invited and stays where it is well treated.
The city which does not seek something better than it now has is going to lose out.
A glance through the advertising columns of your newspaper enables you to tell in a few minutes all you want to know, and where to get the service or articles you may need.
Some cities are order takers; they take what comes to them. Other cities are order getters; they make up their mind what their city needs and then go after it until they get it.

Advertising in the Town Paper is the shortest Route to Business Getting.

ST PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH. HORNETS MEET WITH DEFEAT.

I cannot ignore the Church. Not without ignoring the Master Jesus Christ who founded it. Not without ignoring what Scripture plainly teaches on this point. I cannot ignore the Church, not without ignoring my spiritual nature. I can better afford to deny myself physical culture and mind culture than soul culture. I cannot ignore the claims of the Church, because the Master gave men the task of extending the Gospel. I cannot shirk the duty of cooperating with God. I cannot ignore the claims of the Church because faith in and allegiance to Christ can best be expressed through the Church. I cannot put my faith into action. I cannot ignore the claims of the Church, for I need the strength which comes from union with other Christians, especially in temptation. I cannot afford to fall into these temptations. I cannot ignore the Church, because even though I do as much or even much more than a Saint Paul, I must still say: "I am an unprofitable servant who have done only that which was my duty to do." Christ did infinitely more for me.

Come to the Baptist church on next Sunday; bring your friends, your wife and children. The Bible school begins promptly at ten o'clock and the preaching service at eleven o'clock. You will have a welcome and a profitable time. An old-fashioned Gospel sermon will be given and you will feel it for God is reaching after your heart. There will also be service at 7:30 P. M. to which you are invited. If you can attend other places and functions at night, you can also attend the places of worship. Come and try it. Our days are passing swiftly by and some, alas, are going down the hill. Is such a course right? Is it wise? Is it fair to ourselves and to our neighbors?

Patrick Henry, one of America's greatest Statesmen, said, in the last paragraph of his will: "I have now disposed of all my property to my family there is one thing more which I wish I could give them, and that is the Christian religion. If they had this, and I had given them not one shilling, they would be rich; and if they had not that and I had given them all the world, they would be poor."

R. W. MERRILL, Pastor.

President P. Jungman of the Luncheon Club was home from Austin Tuesday for the club's weekly luncheon. He had with him as his guest Hon. Milton West, at present representing the Brownsville district in the Legislature. Mr. West addressed the Club briefly, confining his remarks to state affairs and assured his hearers that the Legislature is making an earnest effort to reduce government expenses. His remarks were favorably received by the members present. Mr. West is seeking the Democratic nomination for Congressman from the 15th District and will, at the solicitation of friends, address the people here next Wednesday immediately preceding the awarding of prizes at the Tradex Day gathering. All who can should arrive early and hear Mr. West.

Buy at the Richter Meat Market to make your dollar go 100 per cent. Up to the minute refrigeration, good weight, young tender meat, and every Saturday something free. For next Saturday it's regular 10c raisin bread, absolutely FREE. Country people as well as town people are taking advantage of this free offer, especially in these hard times. And why not? Raisin bread is especially favorite among the children because it is a tasty, nutritional bite for growing children. And what a pleasing toast it makes! Ether a package of nice, fluffy white rolls or a delicious raisin loaf at the RICHTER MEAT MARKET every Saturday free. And this offer holds good for anything else you may buy in our market besides meat.

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HATCHING AND BABY CHICKS.

LA COSTE LEDGERETTES

From The LaCoste Ledger.

Paul Echtle was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

Albert Reus from Hondo was visiting homefolks here Sunday.

A. O. Beck from RioMedina was a LaCoste visitor last Saturday.

George Echtle and son, Henry, were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Rudolph D. Bippert and son, Vernon, were Hondo visitors Monday.

Oscar Koenig from near Devine was a LaCoste visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Edmund Keller was a visitor at RioMedina Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles was San Antonio visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mangold from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Weiblen and family were visiting relatives at Quinlan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Biediger and sons from here and Everett Luckenbach from San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Luckenbach and family at Seguin Sunday.

Born at Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Mangold, a son, Thursday, January 26, 1933.

Mrs. Frank Keller and daughter, Miss Octavia, were San Antonio visitors last Thursday.

Mrs. Hilda Franger and sister, Miss Hattie Bippert, from the Sauz were LaCoste visitors Monday.

Mrs. H. F. Keller and children spent Wednesday with homefolks at Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph D. Bippert and son, Vernon, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Reus Sunday.

Mrs. Emil C. Bippert and daughter from the Sauz were visitors here Monday.

Mrs. W. A. Reicherzer was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Biediger, here several days this week.

Miss Blanch Haby and brother, Arnold, from RioMedina were LaCoste visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montague and family from San Antonio were visiting homefolks here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Elmendorf of San Antonio were visiting homefolks here Sunday evening.

Mrs. Louis Mangold and daughter, Miss Irma, and Mrs. Lorenz Rihn from Castroville were LaCoste visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Menck and family and Miss Margaret Gross and brother, Louis, Jr., were Hondo visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutzler and son, Wesley, from Dunlap were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Boni and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Bippert from Hondo spent an evening the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koenig and family here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold and sons and Mrs. Theresa Mangold from Cillif spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman here.

Miss Margaret Iltis from Delta is spending the week with her brother, Leon Iltis, and family in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and children and Mrs. George Christilles were visiting relatives in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Christilles and son were visiting their daughter, Faustine, and Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Gutzeit in San Antonio Sunday.

Mrs. Harry S. Field and sons and Miss Louise Lessing from Macdona and Mrs. Otto Jungman from here were the guests of Mrs. H. F. Franger at Delta last Friday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bendele and daughters, Misses Clara and Ella Nora, from the Francisco spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biediger and children here.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Grossenbacher and Mrs. Emil Mangold and daughter, Miss Lillian, and son, Archie, from the Sauz were San Antonio visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mr. Edward Meckel and family from Lobo, Texas, spent the past week-end with homefolks at Macdona. Mr. Meckel was Relief Section Foreman for the S. P. Lines at Alpine, but was assigned to Section No. 139 near Lobo on the 15th of this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Griffin and children from Atascosa were the guests of Mrs. Griffin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salzman, and family here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salzman and daughters, Olivia and Johanna, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Grady Griffin and children at Atascosa Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jungman and daughter, Miss Mathilda, from RioMedina were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman and family here Tuesday.

Mrs. E. S. Christilles of San Antonio was a visitor here Wednesday. She was accompanied here by Miss Marie Christilles, who had spent the past week here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Biediger and children and Mrs. Henry Biediger and son, Arthur, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Rihn and sons in San Antonio Sunday.

Commissioner Robt. Rihn and Emil Halbardier from Castroville were business visitors here last Saturday. Com. Rihn informed us that the Relief Employment in this Precinct will start Monday this week on work near RioMedina and Dunlap.

Herbert A. Tondre and little niece from Castroville were LaCoste visitors Tuesday. Mr. Tondre reports having had a grand time at the Inaugural Ball given Governor Miriam A. Ferguson at Gregory Hall at Austin, Texas, last Tuesday night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan W. Hufford of San Antonio, both pioneer newspaper people of the State, were appreciated callers at our office Wednesday. Mr.

Huffer is calling on all his friends in the interest of Hon. Milton H. West, candidate for Congress. Mr. West is a native of Wilson County, Texas, has practiced law in Brownsville for 14 years, served as District Attorney for eight years and has been a member of the Texas Legislature for four years. Mr. and Mrs. Hufford are well known to many Medina County residents.

TREATING AND EVADING COMMON COLDS.

By Frank Adcock, M. D.

Texas State Tuberculosis Sanatorium
Common colds are of widespread prevalence among all classes of people. The peak of their greatest extent is found during the winter months with a gradual decline on either side of the winter until the summer season when it practically disappears.

When one examines the secretions found when taken from the patient suffering from a common cold, a large number of micro-organisms are always found. Usually the more common micro-organisms, e. g., streptococcus, staphylococcus, catarrhalis, are found to be present in these secretions taken from the patient suffering from an acute cold. However, a good percentage of cases will be found to contain pneumococcus, influenza bacillus, and others of the more dangerous micro-organisms.

There is no particular micro-organism responsible for the common cold and for this reason serums and vaccines manufactured for the treatment of colds have proven very unsatisfactory until the present. Especially in the case of the tuberculosis individual should the use of vaccines for the treatment of colds be discouraged on account of their unproven, harmful results to the tuberculous individual due to the systemic reaction which they most usually cause.

It should be stated that these micro-organisms are almost always found to be present in the upper respiratory tract of normal individuals. Then the question naturally arises: "What causes common colds?" Several volumes might be written concerning past research work, speculation, and endeavor to answer this question dogmatically. This has never been accomplished. Probably the most logical explanation for the common cold is that the individual lowers his resistance whether due to overwork, exposure or what have you, and thereby allows the micro-organisms present in the upper respiratory tract to begin to multiply and cause the incidence of the cold. Usually the body overcomes the cold, but if neglected grave complications in the respiratory tract may develop.

Common colds are generally classified by the individual as head colds and "chest colds" depending upon which portion of the upper respiratory tract is involved. The prodromal symptoms one commonly experiences are lassitude, increase of secretions by the epithelial cells of the upper air passages, transitory pains in different portions of the body and in general a sense of apprehension and ill being. At this stage many physicians try to give abortive treatment for the cold. As a rule this is not successful. The drugs employed for this are usually a combination of a light narcotic, secretory depressant, and one or more of the antipyretics.

These are usually given in capsule three to four hours apart for three to six doses.

The treatment of the common cold consists of rest in bed, stimulation of the organs of elimination, and treatment of symptoms as they may arise. The patient should ingest an extra amount of liquids due to the dehydration that occurs in the body tissues.

An extra amount of protein is indicated in the diet due to the destruction of body tissues and also the fact that proteins are more easily digested than the other foods during the course of the cold. In the stimulation of the intestinal tract no remedy can compare in both taste and good results with castor oil.

The many complications which may occur concomitant with the common cold will not be discussed here.

In the case of the tuberculous individual the common cold is especially dangerous. A lighting up of a quiescent or even latent tuberculosis may occur following the cold. This may be caused by the strain on the parenchyma of the lungs following severe and prolonged coughing, spread of the infection into the tissues with a resultant destruction and softening of the tissues, or by the lowering of the resistance of the body in general.

For the individual who wishes to avoid a cold they must keep from lowering the general physical condition. Do not stay in close contact indoors with another individual suffering from a cold. Practice hygienic cleanliness of the face and hands as micro-organisms are frequently conveyed to the body from the hands. Do not neglect the organs of elimination. Keep the body protected by the proper clothing at all times.

It pays to bank earth up around orange trees in the winter, J. J. Fountain in Hardin county has found. In a demonstration with the county agent he carried 55 satsuma trees through the cold winter of three years ago and has them back in bearing again at the rate of one-half bushel per tree. He is selling them readily at his front gate on the Beaumont highway.

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DEVINE NEWSLETS

From The Devine News.
FROM YANCEY.

A good many of our people were enrolled on the unemployed list last week, but were made glad that the road work would begin next Monday, so everyone who possibly can get on will be on hand.

News of the death of Mrs. Margaret Allen of San Antonio came last Thursday. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. J. W. McCaughan. She died as a result of burns received about two weeks ago. Our sympathy is extended.

Miss Dorothy Burgin is off on an extended visit to relatives and friends at Sabinal, Uvalde and other points.

We are glad to report Mrs. Ernest Wiemers improving after a siege of flu and pneumonia. She is still in Hondo, but is expecting to be brought home soon.

Rev. and Mrs. Banks and family were San Antonio visitors Saturday a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Worley moved into our community. They are occupying Mrs. George Worley's home.

The Women's Missionary Society of both churches met last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Charles Heiligmann, Jr., was quite sick last Saturday. Dr. Beal of Pearsall prescribed for him and he was relieved of suffering.

Miss Leora Horger spent the weekend at her home in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Nixon and Miss Mabel Dunham attended a shower given Mrs. Ethel Bippert of Moore last Friday evening.

A Junior-Senior party was enjoyed at the home of Mrs. George Faseler last Friday night. Refreshments were served by the Home Economics class of which Miss Lucille Shultz is the teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vordenbenner of San Antonio spent last week here visiting relatives, the Faseler, Wiemers and Bohmfalk families.

Mr. Tom Duncan spent several days in Sutherland Springs last week on account of the death and burial of his father. Mr. Duncan has the sympathy of his friends.

Mrs. Allen Thompson, a graduate nurse of the Nix Hospital, spent several days on the farm here with her husband and other relatives.

Don Earl, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Ward, is improving of a lengthy illness.

Mr. Ray Ward went to San Antonio on business last Thursday.

Our poultry raisers have become somewhat disengaged over the drop in egg prices. A drop from 27c to 25c was almost more than they could stand, however, we hear they have come back to 3c.

The play entitled "The Little Clod-Hopper" given by the high school pupils was quite a success. The admission fees were small on account of hard times, but a neat sum was realized for the benefit of the athletic fund.

Prof. and Mrs. Stendebach made a trip to Hondo after school hours one day last week.

Several members of the families of Mr. Louis Faseler and Mr. R. L. Brantley have been absent from school on account of the flu epidemic.

Mr. W. B. Ward and brother, Joe Ward, were in Devine on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Love and Miss Lucille Littleton were in Yancey on business Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Emil Bohmfalk became very sick Saturday and was taken to the Medina Hospital.

Little Aude Vec, the two year old son of Mr. Dan McCrae became violently ill Monday morning and was taken to San Antonio for treatment.

Mrs. Coy Worley accompanied Mr. and Mrs. McCrae to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Lynn and baby left for the Valley to make their home. A farewell party was given them at the home of Mr. Bill Faseler Sunday night.

DEVINE POST OFFICE ROBBED
TUESDAY NIGHT.

As we are going to press we learn that the Devine post office was robbed sometime Tuesday night. The front side door was forced open, the knob was knocked from the safe and all the money taken from the safe, and the money and the stamp boxes at the delivery window. Postmaster Jean Teel did not know without books just how much money was in the safe, but said it was not a big sum. Authorities in San Antonio have been notified and are expected before noon to go fully into the matter.

NOW DRILLING NEAR DEVINE
ON BURNS NO. 2.

Burns deep test oil well No. 2 was spudded in the past week by Roberts and Wilkinson, financed by local people, and is headed for the strata where big gas was found last winter in No. 1. Several local people are putting money in the well and have bought leases nearby, believing that either big gas or oil or both will be found. The new well is a few hundred feet northwest of No. 1, and will be watched with interest by our people.

COUNTY MAY HELP CONTINUE
WITH ROAD WORK.

Farmers have become so enthused over road work, in getting the bad places fixed with the R. F. C. funds, that they may go on with work if the county or precinct will put up money to pay the shovel hands. Commissioner Roberson has promised them that he will do this when the R. F. C. funds are gone. Several stretches in feeder roads to the town that heretofore have been almost impassable in wet weather, have been covered with white limestone and are almost as hard as the paved highway. The Yancey road has been improved wonderfully; also the Hondo or Birr road.

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MORE PLANTS PER ACRE REDUCES COSTS OF GROWING TOMATOES.

Increasing the number of tomato plants per acre seems to be an almost sure way of increasing yield, according to a series of tests conducted with the Marglobe variety at the Winter Garden Experiment Station. Close planting may make harvesting difficult, but this seems to be the only objection of anyone who possibly can get on will be on hand.

During the past season eleven spacings were tried. They ranged all the way from 6 by 6 feet to 3 by 3 feet, and included two spacings not tried last year, namely, 5 by 1 1-2 and 4 by 1 1-2. Before trying these two last spacings, the 4 by 3 feet spacings seemed the most desirable as it gave yields almost equaling that of the 3 by 3 spacing, and was easier to harvest. Last spring, however, when the 4 by 1 1-2 feet spacing was used for the first time it cut the yield by 3 by 3 spacing by about 3-4 ton to the acre, and this fall it gave more than double the yield of the 4 by 3 plants.

The average size of the fruit in the spring trial of 1932 was slightly smaller from the 4 by 1 1-2 feet spacing, but in the fall this was not true. In ALL the tests the distance between plants above 4 by 3 has had no appreciable effect on the size of the fruit.

On the whole as the number of plants per acre have been increased so has the yield increased. Yields from 3 by 3 foot spacings, for example, have been twice those from 6 by 3 spacing and yields from 6 by 3 foot spacings doubled those from the 6 by 6 foot spacings. In spite of the difficulty of harvesting it would seem more economical to increase the number of plants per acre, reduce acreage, and lessen land and irrigation costs.

TEXAN WHO NOW BOSSES I BELIEVE IN THE HOLY GHOST. ARIZONA.

Lecture VI.
By Hugh Nugent Fitzgerald.
Former Gov. W. P. B. Hunt of Arizona is on his death bed. He held the reins of state government eight years. He was defeated for the democratic nomination in 1932, by Dr. Benjamin Moeur. Hunt invaded Arizona in its territorial days. He was a well educated drifter, having started his native state determined to find a place in the Arizona sun. He found himself without a dollar in his pocket. He saw sign in the window of a cafe—"Dishwasher Wanted." He copped the job. He dishusted two weeks. He found coin in his pocket. He hustled for a better place. He found it. No many years after he was one of the leading men of the territory of Arizona and a leader of the democratic party of the wilderness which had been captured by the copper kings of Arizona. Well, he invaded politics. His career was ended he had been governor eight times, he had been minister of Siam by appointment of Woodrow Wilson, and then went down in defeat in a battle of primary contest with a mountain doctor.

Col. P. Jungman of Hondo, Texas, registered at the Driskill. He is an old "thereabout". He is an old good pal of the mountain doctor and the governor of Arizona and of the noted characters of that commonwealth. Col. Jungman wired congratulations to the mountain man on the day of his inauguration as the successor of that governor who had served eight terms as chief magistrate.

He Made His Own Record.

Tell the Hondo colonel, the boy-spal of the new kingfish of democratic politics in Arizona, tells many interesting tales of his pal and playmates of other years. Let him tell it. Moeur is a native Texan. His parents and his two brothers trekked Louisiana to Texas away back in days when empire builders were laying the rails for the Southern Pacific which finally spanned the entire continent from the Gulf of Mexico to the Pacific Ocean. My fiction is that Ben was born in 1860. Every time the main line of the Southern Pacific was extended, Ben moved with the builders, till they pitched their tent at Hondo, where Ben was reared, and the boys were bronco handlers and range riders. Hondo was their home for years. Wanderlust caught the eye of the boys—Will and John Ben. They moved and finally settled their tent at Tempe in the same place where Ben found himself, made Tempe his habitat. He rode the "long trail" for a medical college. He became a physician-surgeon. He built up a large practice among the mountain people in the wastes of the lower valley. He did not play with politics in time he became one of the known medicoes in the Copper Country.

A World War Tale.

He came the World War. He was patriotic as he was venturesome. He made public announcement of all families who had sent their sons to Europe to European allies would receive medical attention free of charge. Husbands volunteered when the call came giving the pledge that their wives would receive medical attention free of charge. Dr. Moeur kept his promise, and in rural regions and waste places across his name was a household word. As I have said, he had never joined the game of politics. Finally, he joined Hunt, successful business and almost invincible leader of democratic people, announced as candidate for re-election for a ninth term. Dr. Ben announced. He conducted his own campaign. He paid expenses of his campaign and to the surprise of the people of Hondo he defeated for renomination a man who had held the office of the frontier in early manhood. The family made trek to mountains of Arizona where Will became state land commissioner and a country doctor who was placed in the highest office in the gift of the people. He defeated for renomination by the plain people themselves in the political contest which will be memorable in the political annals of this newest of states.

It is a queer proposition after Hunt, the invincible, is on his bed. Ben Moeur, who grew up in Texas, is the democratic leader as governor of the Copper Commission, Texas.

A SIMPLE METHOD OF GETTING RID OF SKUNKS.

By Juliette Frazier.

Although skunks are apt to do considerable damage around poultry yards, some people are reluctant about trying to trap them, because they are afraid of getting scented in the attempt to release the skunk from the trap.

A very easy and simple method to get rid of skunks is to take several eggs and make a very small hole in one end of each egg; then drop a little strichnine in the hole, (about as much as will cover the point of a pocket knife) and place the eggs near the skunk lairs or wherever they are in the habit of running. On the outside of the fence around the poultry yard is generally a good place.

If there have been any skunks prowling about the place they probably will be found in the morning curled up dead not far from where the eggs have been placed.

Care should be taken not to allow any dogs or cats to get within the reach of the eggs. If the eggs are placed out in the evening, the dogs and cats can be locked up, and the eggs which may be left gathered up in the morning before the dogs and cats are allowed to get out, thus eliminating the danger of poisoning the domestic pets.

Jim Mathews kept smut out of his 50-acre hogback field in Menard county this year by dusting with a small amount of copper carbonate mixed up in a home-made cement mixer according to county agent suggestions. Two to three ounces of the chemical were allowed to each bushel of planting seed and the mixer revolutioned until every seed was covered.

AMONG THE BUSY BEES.

Lemon Pie

1 cup honey
Yolks of three eggs beaten light
1 tablespoonful flour
Juice, fresh, and grated rind of lemon
1 teaspoonful melted butter

Mix thoroughly in the order given, then add 1 1/4 cupsful of rich milk; pour into a pie-plate lined with a good crust, pricked to prevent air blisters and bake until set. Cover with a meringue of the whites, beaten with 3 tablespoonfuls of honey and a few drops of lemon juice and brown lightly.

Cold weather of the 10th and 11th of December have again postponed early rising of the sap in honey plants and a probable freezing down later on. Bees are well filled with stored honey and should winter over beautifully unless long continued warm weather should cause the sap to rise and later frost ruin everything like we had in 1929 and in 1931.

Eugene Holloway of Marietta, Okla., advises beginners in the bee-business to read all they can, think about it, and then follow their own judgment. Goodness! What advice! First he tells a man to read all about it, then to follow his own "noodly" about the management. Why waste time and money to read if he advises to use our own head?

Ignorance of the laws of nature says Mr. Sturdevant, is the cause of most ailments. It is the cause of the physical decline of mankind. It is the reason of the span of life being shortened. Sparkling health can be yours. There is no monopoly on perfect health. If you had a knowledge of the simple laws of nature perfect health could be yours. Honey is one of nature's health requirements. Its uses and its value should be made fully well known to everybody.

Louisiana beekeepers are now working on a scheme to certify their apriaries by a state apiary inspector who can certify after inspection that the man's apriary is free from bee diseases and that honey is properly extracted, strained, etc., that it is free from dirt and other impurities and that it weighs a certain number of pounds per standard U. S. gallon. It is a move in the right direction; but, it calls for union and cooperation of all the beekeepers first, otherwise our talk, for instance here in Texas, would fall on deaf ears.

The Work of the Holy Ghost: in short the main work is to renew men. The natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God etc. I Cor. 2, 14 and "Except ye be converted and become as little children, ye shall not enter the Kingdom of God." Matt. 18, 2; and John 3 show that man needs regeneration and that the Spirit of God must do the work. "No one can say that Jesus is Lord but by the Holy Ghost." I Cor. 12, 3. Conversion means a turning about from old way and going the new. It entails hatred for sin, sorrow for sins committed daily and a turning to God for forgiveness and strength to live the new life. "The Holy Ghost has called me"—The Holy Ghost's work tools is God's Word. He Himself inspired it. I Tim. 3, 16. It is an efficient instrument. See the effects of Peter's sermon on Pentecost Day, when 3,000 are baptized. It is God's gracious means to save: "a power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth," for "faith cometh by hearing". No one has been saved without this Word in some form or other.

The Secretary of the Essex County New Jersey Bee Association says that honey sold in stores at 35 cents per quart jar is not real honey, and goes on stating that real honey can be bought at 40 cents per one pound jar or at \$1.00 per quart. That may work in New Jersey but here where we produce in quantity in good seasons we have to sell same for much less.

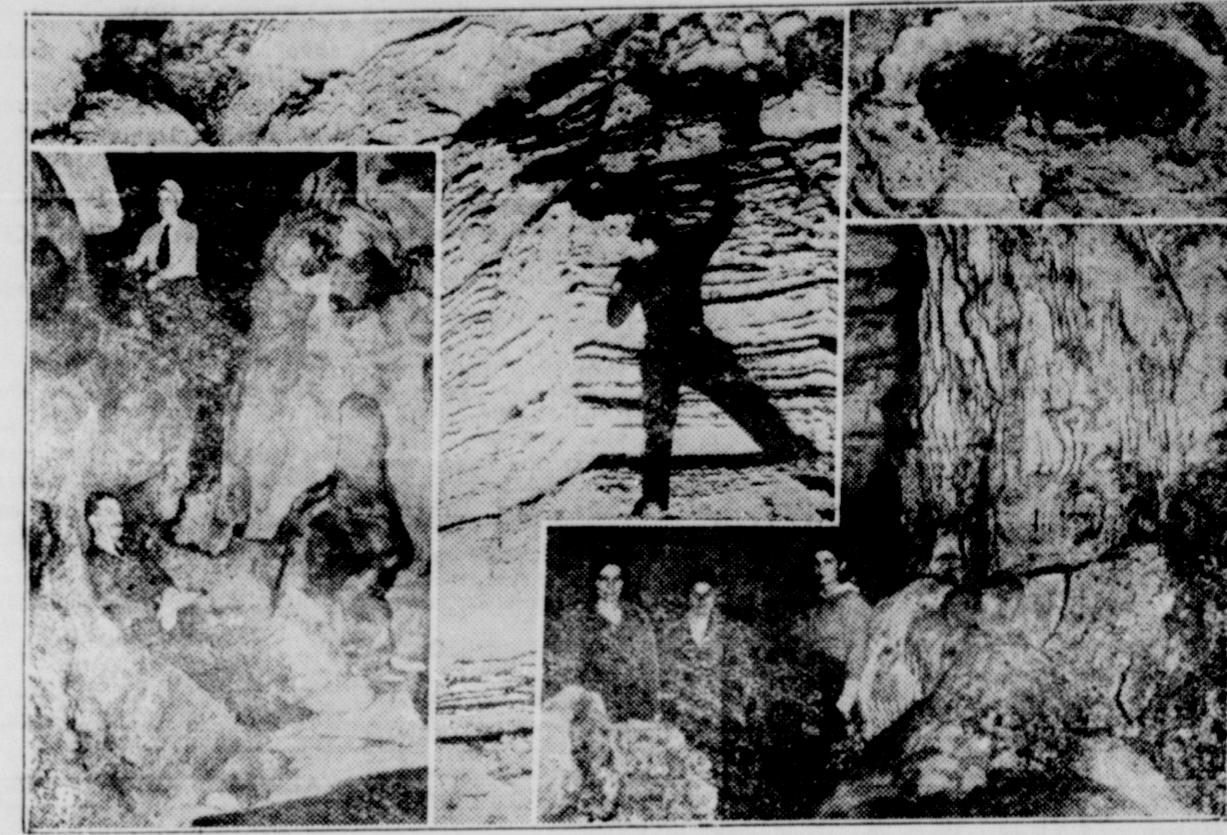
Two Southern Louisiana beemen, coming from a meeting, found that Mr. and Mrs. Blair had been in two of their apriaries, having torn some bives to pieces to get to the honey that bears are very fond of, and leaving the apriary in a mess. Here in Medina County, Texas, bears are very scarce outside of woods. But we have skunks both of the animal and of the human variety, who have made a bad mess of some of the writer's apriaries. Life is too short and too precious to waste time getting in a murderous mood about it, although the temptation is strong. May the good Lord be kind to them and show them the evil of their way, so they may follow the teachings of Christ.

Mr. Murray of Magnet, Texas, is a beekeeper and queen breeder of note, and says he is nearing the 70th year. Yet he is quite a student of bee-behavior and he claims not to know it all yet. But he says that if a bee-colony has been queenless just long enough for the worker brood to hatch, it may be restored to the condition of a colony from which the queen has just been removed by adding two combs of fresh brood from another colony, and a queen may be as readily introduced as to any other colony. I will try this next spring in case I live.

National honey week and its radio broadcasting of honey did some good. A certain Dr. O. W. Hickel of St. Louis says he has already received 200 sweet honey letters from radio listeners. We fellows off here in the Southwest did not get any of these honey letters, yet we are in favor of letting the folks know all about our product, and how good it is.

Mr. T. W. Burleson of Waxahachie, Texas, asks us Texas beemen to come across with our quota towards the support of the American Honey Institute, organized and built up for the purpose of advertising to the public the virtues and goodness of honey. We Texas fellows are \$200 behind with our quota. The American Honey Institute is represented by Mallita Fisher Jensen, 417 No. Few Street, Madison, Wis.

Honey; Its Use in Cookery; Ex-



tension Bulletin 99 issued free of charge, by single copies, at New Jersey State College of Agriculture, New Brunswick, N. J. Beekeepers should get a copy of the above so they may give much needed pointers on the use of honey while they are trying to sell their product.

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SOFT LIGHTS, SWEET MUSIC REPLACE HARLEM "HOT-CHA"

Harlem night clubs, last stand of the "hot-cha" variety of night life, form part of the background for the action of "Blonde Venus". Marlene Dietrich's latest starring picture which comes to the Colonial Theatre, Friday and Saturday.

A dozen such places in New York's black belt still preserve the "hot" music, the wild dances, the uproarious

tempo, that ten years ago was the entertainer in "Blonde Venus". She takes the job to earn enough money to send her husband, a scientist suffering from radium poisoning as the result of his research, abroad to be cured.

It is while he is away that a wealthy patron of the place falls in love with her, and she, soon reciprocating his love, finds herself torn between her husband and son, on the one hand, and her lover, on the other.

Herbert Marshall, recent Hollywood importation from the New York stage, plays the role of the husband, with Cary Grant as the lover. Dickie Moore is the child.

Next week—Randolph Scott and Sally Blane, in the "Heritage of the Desert", a Zane Grey Western.

The mother-in-law joke is always funny to a bachelor.

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1. Hondo is your County seat, the home of your Commissioners Court and your County and District Courts. It is here all county records are kept.
2. Hondo's public school system is one of the best organized and equipped in this part of the state. Each high school teacher holds a college degree, and is a specialist in his line. The school is fully affiliated, and is a member of the Southern Association, the highest scholastic rating that may be attained by a Texas school. Over one-third of its students are transfers from rural schools. Its commercial and Musical Departments are unexcelled by any High School.
3. Hondo is very fortunate in having a group of Physicians and Surgeons with years of successful practice to their credit. They are well and favorably known over this entire section for their unusual success in general medical practice as well as in surgery.
4. Hondo has several modern, well equipped Dental offices, one of which has X-Ray equipment. Hondo's Dentists are well known for their efficient work and their well equipped offices.
5. Hondo has two Banks with resources of more than half a million dollars and whose sound business policy and conservative methods have protected the interests of their depositors at all times. It also has a National Farm Loan Association of conservative management.
6. Hondo has many Dry-Goods stores, Food stores, Meat, Produce, Seed and Feed Markets, Hardware and Notion dealers, Modern Cafes, Hotels, Confectioneries, Tailor Shops, Barber Shops, Beauty Parlors, a Jeweler and Optometrist, etc.
7. Hondo prides herself in Medina Hospital, one of the most modern and best equipped Hospitals between San Antonio and the Rio Grande. This Hospital is owned and operated by two graduate Nurses who are in constant attendance and every patient has their personal attention. It is well prepared to handle both medical and operative cases, and the prices are nominal.
8. Hondo has one of the most modern Baking establishments in this section of the country. It is sanitary and modern in every respect and has a daily capacity of 2,000 loaves. The public is invited to inspect this plant at any time.
9. Hondo has two Lumber-yards, which carry full lines of Lumber, Building materials, Hardware, Fencing, Paints and Varnishes, Lime and Cement.
10. Hondo has two Drug Stores carrying complete stocks of Drugs, Medicines and Toilet Articles. Both have registered pharmacists in their prescription departments.
11. Hondo has a new Funeral home which is one of the most modern and best equipped west of San Antonio and would be a credit to a town many times the size of Hondo. Some of the special features of this Funeral home are a completely furnished over-night guest room and a Chapel with a seating capacity of 200. They offer the services of a competent licensed embalmer as well as Ambulance service.
12. Hondo has, in the Colonial Theatre, a place of high class entertainment. A good place to go and enjoy good, clean Sound-Pictures with the comforts of a modern cooling system.
13. Hondo's Garages, Machine Shops and Blacksmith Shops are unusually equipped to handle general shop work of all kinds as well as welding.
14. Hondo's courteous Insurance Agents offer every kind of Insurance, and the Medina Abstract Company will help you protect your land titles.

15. Hondo has a modern Bottling plant producing wholesome soft drinks; an Ice Plant, supplying the community needs for their product; Three Cotton Gins; Several Shoe Repair and Leather Shops; a Tin Shop, manufacturing sheet metal tanks; and a modern, machine-equipped Print Shop, doing all kinds of commercial, job and publication printing, and issuing two publications, The Anvil Herald, a local weekly newspaper established 1886, and Farming, a monthly farm-home journal of both local and national circulation, established in 1922. The Medina County Fair Association holds an annual Fair and Race Meet, giving valuable prizes for all kinds of exhibits, and its well arranged grounds and buildings are available between seasons for use of the public for all kinds of public entertainments.

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SAN ANTONIO RADIO PATROL OFFICER SUCCUMBS.

W. H. Renkin, 3207 West Martin street, radio patrolman of the San Antonio police force, died in Santa Rosa hospital Wednesday morning from pneumonia. He became ill apparently from influenza Monday night and was taken home. He first joined the police force in 1918 and was out for about a year before being restored to duty as a permanent member of the force in 1920.

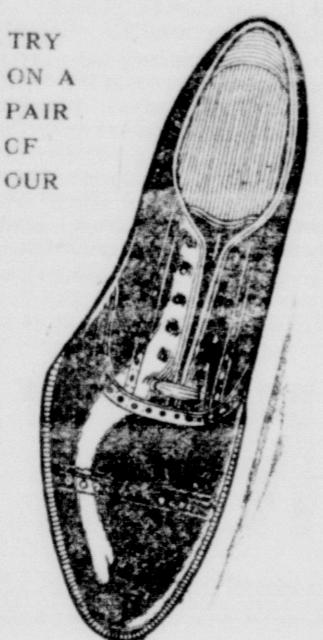
Funeral services will be held from the residence at 3 P. M. Thursday with burial in Rosedawn cemetery.

Survivors include: the widow, Mrs. Katy Renkin; sons, Joe and Ferd. Renkin of San Antonio and Paul Renkin of Hondo; daughters, Mrs. Leo Rihm, Mrs. Max Fritsch and Mrs. Ferd. Huigle of San Antonio and Mrs. Herman Koch and Mrs. Fritz de Groot of Hondo.—San Antonio Light.

Quite a number of relatives and friends from here went to San Antonio yesterday afternoon for the funeral.

This paper extends sympathy to those who mourn.

Hon. Noble G. Cofer of Brownsville, candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congressman from the 15th Congressional District, was here yesterday interviewing the voters in the interest of his candidacy. Mr. Cofer was accompanied by Col. L. W. Burrell of Castroville, Judge Dick Tullis of San Antonio, and Mr. Duncan S. Wright of Brownsville. Mr. Cofer arranged to return to Hondo Wednesday, and will address the voters at the Trad's Day gathering, beginning at two o'clock. Come early and hear him present his claims for your suffrage.



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Among those who went to San Antonio Monday night for the Hondo Hornets-Jiske Mannequins basketball game at Woodlawn Lake were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meyer, Mrs. R. C. Rath, Misses Thelma Lynch, Regina Nester, Elizabeth Holloway, Anna Leah Brucks, Anne Davis and Mary Ruth Cameron.

Don't borrow your neighbor's paper. If you are sufficiently interested in its contents to want to read it, you owe it both to yourself and to the paper to buy a copy of your own and not impose on the good nature of your neighbor. It costs only \$1.50 a year or less than 3c per week.

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SALARIES OF COUNTY OFFICERS CUT.

Marble Falls, Tex., Jan. 23.—Pay of county commissioners of Burnet county was placed on per diem and road supervising basis. Last year they were on a salary of \$90 per month. Previous to that it had been \$100 per month for the past several years. The ex-officio salary of the county judge was reduced from \$1,080 per year to \$972. The ex-officio salary of the sheriff was reduced from \$1000 to \$900 per year. The ex-officio salary of the county school superintendent was reduced from \$810 to \$729. The salary of the county clerk was reduced from \$540 to \$480 per year. The salary of county agent was reduced from \$1,350 to \$800 per year.

The salary of the janitor was placed at \$30 per month. The commissions of the county treasurer were cut 3-4 to 1-2 per cent on receipts and disbursements.

Board of the prisoners was reduced from 75 cents to 50 cents per day. It was ordered by the court that the tax assessor and tax collector pay their own postage expenses. The salaries of these two officers are fixed by law, and the court has no control over them. The stamp expense of both are quite an item.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Thallman and Mrs. R. L. Jennings were San Antonio visitors Thursday of last week. Miss Madeline Drotcourt was here from San Antonio over the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Drotcourt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Cameron of San Antonio spent the weekend here with Mrs. Cameron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. B. Jones.

Mr. Robert de Montel and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar de Montel, of above Castroville were in town Monday on business. They visited relatives while here.

Mr. H. G. Rohrbach and sons, Chas. M. and William A. Rohrbach, of D' Hanis and Miss Josephine Dugosh of San Antonio, were appreciated callers at this office Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Davis and Mrs. O. B. Taylor were business visitors in San Antonio Friday. They were accompanied home by Misses Octavia and Lucy Davis who spent the weekend here.

John Finger, Jr., enjoyed the mid-term vacation with a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger. He is a student at St. Edward's University, and recently received a letter in University football.

Let us take scientific care of your skin, hair and scalp—a necessity to promote and preserve good health. Shampooing, trimming, tinting, permanent waving and dressing at reasonable prices. LADIES BEAUTY SHOPPE.

Rain started during last night continued this morning and as we go to press indications are for more inclement weather. The temperature has noticeably lowered, and winter clothing and hearth fires are again in evidence after the spring-like weather of the past few weeks.

With the executive branch and both houses of the legislative branch of the Federal Government safely under control of the Democrats our party can claim no alibis if it fails. What a magnificent challenge to the statesmanship of the school of Democracy. To fail in such a magnificent opportunity would be almost a death blow to popular government.

The local Committee on Unemployment Relief Work has had men employed this week under the February allotment of funds. In addition to some very important work on the country roads some very much needed work of draining and leveling off the streets in Hondo and graveling the street to the county's property on the Rothe Hill are being done. The Committee, with the help of Commissioner Buss, is endeavoring to place the work done with the Relief funds where most needed and some valuable, permanent highway construction work has been accomplished.

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ASK US ABOUT IT.

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CITY BOUGHT BONDS.

The Paris News told the story a few days ago about the Mayor of Paris buying up \$10,000 of its own bonds at much saving to the city. That was fine.

In other words, the City of Paris issued and sold \$10,000 of its notes or bonds bearing 4 3-4 percent interest. The City then turned around and bought back these bonds, so that the interest is then due to be paid by the City to the City. In other words, the City transfers on its books from one fund to another just that much each year as the interest is paid.

At compound interest which money lenders always receive, the interest in this case will amount in fifteen years to about the amount of the bonds. After the City has received this interest in this way for fifteen years, the accumulation will be sufficient to pay off all the bonds. So that is fine again.

But suppose these bonds had been issued not to bear any interest, and the City would just lay up that amount of 4 3-4 percent of the bonds each year for fifteen years. In that time the accumulation would be sufficient to cancel the bonds, and all would be settled.

Then the question arises, why make the bonds bear any interest and be sold to money lenders at all? The City in settling them in that way has to pay in interest and principal \$20,000. to money lenders. In selling bonds to money lenders, somebody has to be mighty anxious to pay huge donations to idle lenders, or no such deals would be made.

Why does the City not issue its bonds for the \$10,000. due in 15 annual payments without interest? Then let the City sell the bonds to the U. S. Government for the \$10,000. in new Legal Tender currency. The Government can print the money and it does not need the interest. Then in 15 years the City could gather up this \$10,000. and return it to Uncle Sam and get its bonds back, and all would be even, and neither gold nor interest would be necessary to play in the transaction.

Surely we are a set of bungo dupes for continuing to get money as we do now, when Uncle Sam could easily arrange otherwise, if only Congress could act and make the law.

The people should demand that Congress do that and our taxes would then be reduced 50 percent. Well, you say what would the money lenders do when they lose their interest? Ans.: Go dig for a living and get it honestly. They are no better than other people, and the people owe them nothing, and need not keep such an idle crowd in luxury.

P. A. SPAIN,

BE GLAD YOU LIVE ON A FARM.

By L. A. Hawkins,
Agricultural Extension Department,
International Harvester Company.

Every farm boy should be glad he lives on a farm. Everything considered, his opportunities are better than if he lived in the city. If he gives the same thought and study in learning to farm successfully that he would have to give to any business in which he might engage in the city, he will make a great farmer, and a great farmer is one of the greatest of all men. Civilization depends more on the farmer than it does on any other business or professional man.

An investigation made by a religious worker in one of our large cities shows that 40,000 young men leave rural communities every year to seek their fortunes in that one city alone. Think of 40,000 boys throwing away the opportunities afforded by the great possibilities in agriculture to compete in their struggle for existence with thousands of other boys from all parts of the world, crowded together in one large city.

About half of our young men and boys live on farms or in villages and towns of 5,000 or less population.

Ninety per cent of our great men and women have been produced in our rural communities—not in our large cities. We must continue to look to the country for our great leaders.

Nearly every man who has risen high enough to be seen in public life has been country bred. The same

AN APPRECIATION.

Mr. Fletcher Davis,
Managing Editor,
The Hondo Anvil Herald,
Hondo, Texas.
My dear Mr. Davis:

Copy of your issue of the 20th inst. mailed to me here at the Senate has been received, and I appreciate more than I can tell you the kind publicity contained therein.

You know as we grow older we realize that about all we get out of public service is the fact that we might be building up a good name that would come in handy for our son some day.

If I can serve you here, I would be glad to hear from you.

Sincerely yours,

WALTER F. WOODUL.

Development of the woolen manufacturing industry in Texas, heretofore notable chiefly for its non-existence, received new impetus when the charter recently was issued to the Texas Mohair and Wool Mills, Inc., at New Braunfels. Capital stock is authorized at \$104,000 and plans are rapidly proceeding to the point of actual manufacture of woolen goods in Texas.

The new elevator and milling plant of the Universal Milling Co. at Fort Worth was put into operation in November after five months of construction. The additions increased the flour and corn meal capacity by 2,100 barrels and the bulk grain storage to 600,000 bushels. The increased capacity caused additional employment of twenty workmen.

WEATHER REPORT.

Hondo, Texas, month of January, 1933.—Total rainfall, 10 days, 2.66 inches. Temperature, highest 79 on 23rd and 31st; lowest, 23 on 1st. Ten rainy days, 8 clear, 12 part cloudy, 12 cloudy.

H. E. HAASS,
Vol. Observer, U. S. W. B.

Judge: Do you understand the nature of an oath?

Mrs. Scuggs: Well, my husband is a golfer and my son drives a second-hand flivver.

What is said to be the largest export grain shipment ever made from the South Plains comprised eighty carloads of maize and kaffir corn consigned to Germany.

GROWTH AND EXPANSION



A WATER WORKS SYSTEM CAN NEVER STAND STILL. IT MUST CONSTANTLY GROW AND EXPAND, NOT ONLY TO KEEP PACE WITH THE INCREASING POPULATION BUT TO MEET THE INCREASING REQUIREMENTS OF LOCAL INDUSTRIES.

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TELL YOUR NEIGHBORS ABOUT TRADES DAY

ASSISTING AGRICULTURE.

By Fred W. Davis.

The intense political campaign has commanded so much of my time I have neglected to offer any observations to the reading public concerning agriculture.

Will anything of major consequence be done to better farm conditions? If so, what? The man who is to be our next president has spoken very clearly on certain phases of the farm problem. He would curtail production by means of abandoning marginal, unproductive lands; would remove the shadow of immediate foreclosure by loans upon available assets, for long periods of time at low rate of interest upon the plan of amortization, and place a practical farmer as Secretary of Agriculture.

This is a logical first aid to agriculture. But unless the products of our farms and ranches can be sold above costs of production we will only substitute a slow, lingering death for our present threat of sudden demise. Better farming, better seed, new lands, etc., will likely make up the loss in production caused by abandoning marginal lands. Of course, by turning our poor lands back to nature and employing better methods we will have a more economical production. But better prices MUST be obtained if our producers are ever to again enjoy prosperous independence. How may this be done? First, we harvest but once a year, as a rule, and there is no business reason for not having steady, stable prices whether such prices be low or high. Gambling in the prices of farm products creates our price fluctuations and causes continuous uncertainty as to values. Commercialized agriculture must now suffer these continuous changes in values. This is something no business can do and prosper. Gambling should be stopped completely and legitimate speculation confined to reasonable bounds in the interests of the public good. This should be followed by systematic marketing upon a cooperative plan with productive costs as the basis of price determinations.

The commercial side of farming and ranching is its major purpose. There are more consumers than producers and many articles such as cotton cannot be converted and consumed upon the farms. Yet, we should lay more emphasis upon agriculture as a mode of life. Shelter and food are man's first essentials and these may be had in the country. They are the only independent features of rural life and will never lose their place in a well-balanced farm program. But modern life demands conveniences, college education, civic improvements, clothing, means of modern transportation and communication, means of amusement and a thousand and one other things.

One may argue that the producers can forego these things. 'Tis true they can in many cases, though not willingly. But in many others the absolute need for money is voted upon our producers by the national congress, the state, the county, the precinct or the school district and if they can't pay, away goes the shelter and the land upon which to raise food. When we tell farmers to live at home and let the world go hang we are talking through our hat. They can't do so, for the sheriff will find them and closed out farmers may become city vagrants.

I believe strongly in the doctrine of live at home on the farm. But I know such doctrine will never get far unless all taxes are removed from the homes. A country home is not an independent citadel where one may at least exist with food and shelter, were he satisfied with that, so long as government can lay burden upon it at will and foreclose for non-payment. The same is true so far as shelter goes with the home of the city dweller. Why should people be taxed upon the shelter that is necessary to protect them and upon the means of securing food. To mate and establish a shelter and provide food is a right beyond the grant of governments. Fundamentally, the home is a super government and when established its possession should be perpetual except upon the voluntary consent of the owners.

How foolish that the home should be taxed and by taxing broken up and destroyed, striking basically at the foundation of all government, while at the same time surplus money may be invested in government bonds and other super-securities with no taxes to pay? Yes, we might say how foolish that the government would pay people interest to accept its promises to pay when it needs money. The government is the creator and money its creature. When it needs money why doesn't it create it, let it be redeemed in services by those to whom it is paid and the public benefit by the results of the labor? But I did not intend to write upon finance. However, some day I am going to write upon the necessity of tax-exempt homes. At present, will close with this thought: Farming, as an independent mode of life, will be greatly strengthened when we cease to lay the expenses of our complex commercialized life upon it in the form of public taxes.

Modernization of the Wichita Falls Windrow Glass Co. plant, which will bring into use in Texas the latest methods of glass making, has required the labor of from 40 to 60 workers for the past several weeks. The output of the plant will be considerably increased by the new machinery, which obviates the necessity of rolling the glass into tubular form and then cutting and produces the glass in an 80-inch wide ribbon, straight from the furnace to the cutting room. The plant is the only one of its kind in Texas.

Mrs. Crankshaft—Hurry up, dear, we're late. What on earth detained you?

Mr. Crankshaft—Drat it all, why can't you put things back where you can find them? It took me 20 minutes rummaging about the garage to find our Austin! —The Pathfinder.

The Panhandle's Gift to the World

The Palo Duro Canyon which winds of the canyon.

its way across the rolling Plains country of the Texas Panhandle is often referred to as the "Scenic Beauty of Texas," or "The Panhandle's Gift to the World."

The above scene is about 20 miles southeast of the city of Canyon, in the heart of the most scenic portions of the picture below is custodian of the

Many citizens of the entire nation visit the canyon each week at a point known as the Palo Duro Free Park. A large section of the scenic gulch was leased from the owners last year by the Chamber of Commerce at Canyon and is open free to the public at all times. Mr. Davis, who photographed the scene, is about 20 miles from Canyon, in the heart of the most scenic portions of the picture below is custodian of the

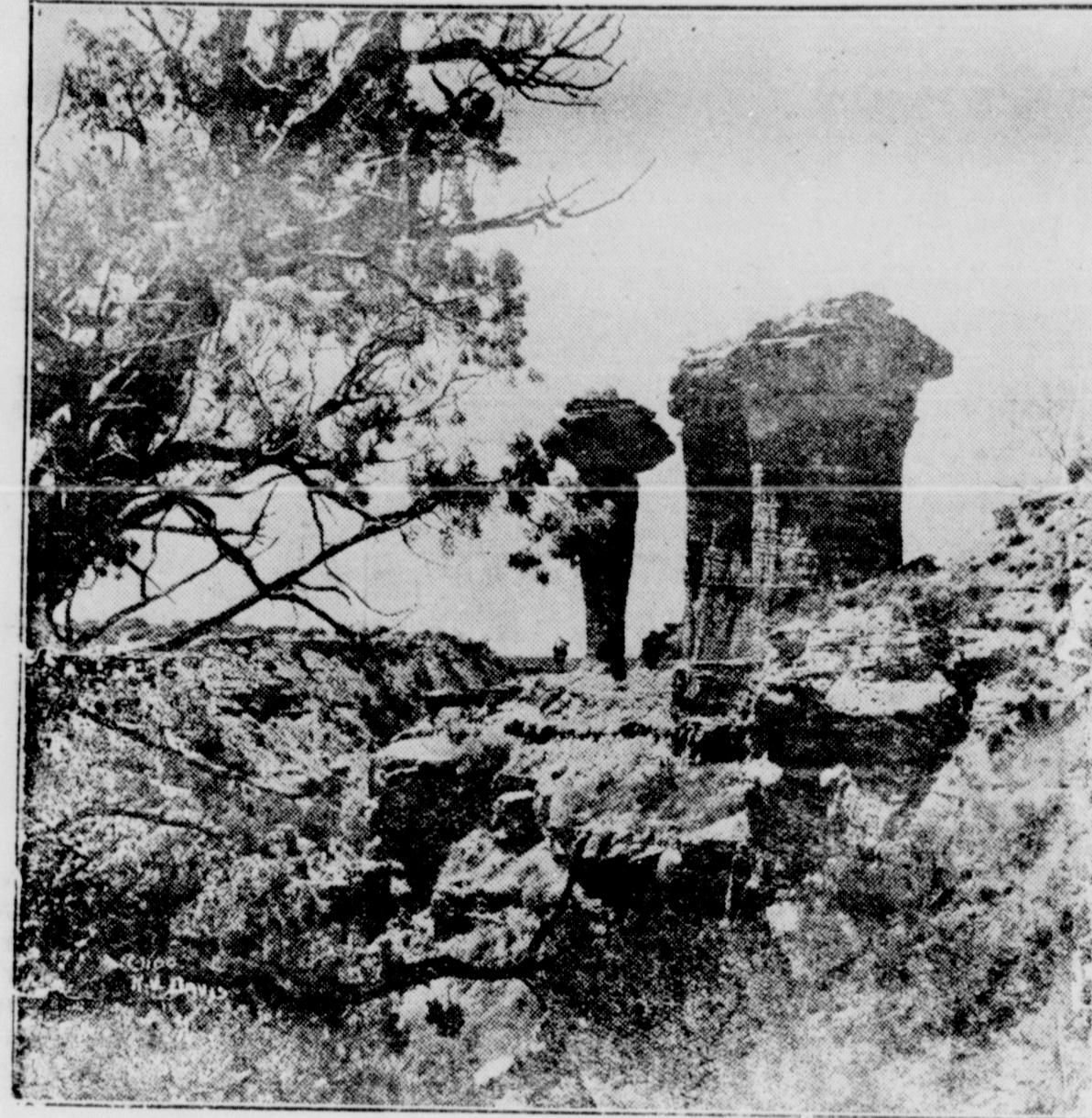


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EL PALO DURO.

By Mrs. Jessica Morehead Young.

Here cradled in the rugged heart
Of the North-west Texas plain,
A great red dragon sleeping yawns
Nor shuts its jaws again.

It rests, content to slumber there
Imbedded in her breast;
Well may its beauty long compare
With all the scenic West.

A clear and silver sparkling stream
Winds down its rugged throat;
And swaying vine and flower entwine
Where trills the mocker's note.

For summer cottages today
And pleasure boats are seen;
And little children laugh and play
Down in these canyons green.

PRELUDE TO THE NEW YEAR.

By Mary Octavia Davis.

Low bend the branches
Of the damp blackened oaks,
Leaves and twigs crackle underfoot
Shattering the silence of the trees;
Sturdiness,
Like that of old woodcuts,
Nature builds for all to see.

Steel blue sky
Where white pigeons fly,
In rythmical sweep,
Curving back
To the roof that shelters me.

Open fire
And candlelight
Shadow the books;
The corners,

Even the piano keys
Waiting for straying fingers
To release their melodies.

Loneliness of woods
And winter sky,
Friends, books and song;
Hearth-fires within walls
Where affection is,
And comradeship merry and sweet;

These I've had—
Can have again
In the year to come.

So my heart sings
This prelude,
Waiting for another year
To bring
Unknown loneliness,
Sorrow,
Deeper love
And tenderness.

A NEW YEAR, A NEW LIFE.

By Mrs. J. W. Akin.

A new year, a new life
Left far behind the old
Its misery and strife:
A new year, a new life
Are mine to have and hold.

A new year, a new life
Left far behind the night
With starless blackness rife:
A new year, a new life
Are mine to gain new height.

DREAMS.

By Alice Jouveau Du Breuil.

I dream my deeds before I plan them,
Seeing beauty in the rough.

To reach the park, visitors drive to Canyon, Texas, and thence east for a distance of 12 miles. The road is in good condition at all times and connects the park with state and national highways at Canyon. A rim drive of more than a mile and a half allows the visitors to get an unusual view of portions of the canyon.

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THE EDITORS.

NATIONAL PROBLEMS.

Some people think that the election of November 8 will settle our national problems. It is perfectly safe to say that no president of this nation can wave a wand that will bring national prosperity. No mortal man has the power to bring order out of chaos in a few days, weeks, or years. We have great financial problems, social and moral problems, that cannot be settled at the ballotbox. The people of this nation have lived extravagantly. Multitudes have spent more money than they could earn. There is a large percent of our population, in times of prosperity or depression, that have to be carried by other people. Some of them are old and decrepit; some are young without earning power, but many are willingly idle, seem to be born lazy. They appear to think that society owes them a living and they spend their time leisurely collecting that living off society.

However comfortable the automobile may be, and however rapidly it may travel from one place to another, we had as well admit that the buying and upkeep of automobiles have been a tremendous expense. It has impoverished thousands of people. They have bought automobiles on credit, and spent much of their time running about the country, expensively, when they should have been engaged in remunerating toil.

Politicians and legislators may talk all they please about the unfortunate condition of the farmers of the land, and about various remedies. The simple fact is, the farmer is unable to sell his products at a price above the cost of production. He cannot sell much of his products at all. It is not worth while to vex ourselves or appoint committees to ascertain the cause of this difficulty; the truth is, automobiles do not eat corn, oats and hay. Horses have largely disappeared from the land; motor power has taken the place of the horse. The gasoline which supplies this power comes from beneath the earth instead of from the earth's surface.

A few decades ago the cities used horse power. The wealthy people paid handsome prices to the farmers for fine carriage horses. Gentlemen of leisure bought fine saddle animals, millions of horses and mules were necessary for the hauling and drayage of the cities. This livestock was raised on the farms and purchased from the farmers; it must be fed on the products of the farm. That condition of things has disappeared.

The farmer buys his clothing, hats and shoes, wagons, farming utensils, and harness from the cities where these things are manufactured and distributed from the wholesale houses. The money of the farmer constantly flows into these centers of industry, and since the city no longer buys horses and mules, and the products of the farm, that feed the same, the money has ceased to flow back to the farmer, circulation is cut off; his finances are drained away from him constantly for the products of the city, and do not return to him from the city for the products of the farm. These are simple facts. Nothing could be plainer, and the result is evident and unfortunate.

The election of some man to the presidency of the United States cannot change this condition of things. The automobile age is here and is going to remain. It would seem that the farmer must devote his attention to the sheep, milk and fowl industries, along with fruit, peaches, apples and smaller berries, like strawberries and blackberries. The readjustment will require time, patient and intelligent development and culture of those things on the farm that can demand a profitable market in the cities.

There is one feature of the situation which is perfectly evident to this writer, namely, that idle multitudes in the cities who cannot find employment, and who are on charity and are liable to become a menace to the peace of the country, must be gotten out of the cities and on to the soil. What do the common laboring people, when times are fairly good, realize for their toil in the city? A bare living. They must toil for years and come to their old age dependent upon some one else. It occurs to this writer that we should face the fact that, everybody cannot become rich; a Druggist.

large percent must be satisfied and thankful if they can earn a comfortable living. If the Federal Government in cooperation with State Government, in cooperation with the Red Cross and eleemosynary institutions and philanthropic men and women of means would unite to get thousands of people, unemployed, helpless and dependent in the cities, out into the country with a small acreage of land, we would then be on the way toward a solution of a very serious social and economic problem. The small farmer, with intelligence and industry, is one of the safest men in the nation today.

On a small acreage a man can easily raise his breadstuff, his pork and beef, his chickens and eggs, his milk and butter. From a small orchard and a few rows of raspberry briars and strawberry plants he can provide ample berries for his family during the winter season. There are millions of acres of productive, idle land all over the South from the Ohio river to New Orleans, that would support, with comfort, hundreds of thousands of families if a combination of the Federal Government, State, County, the Red Cross and forces we have mentioned above, could combine, face this problem intelligently and solve it in the only way it can be solved—place the people on the farm, give them a start, have men who are well versed in agriculture to look after and assist them.

When you have fed hungry people you have not solved the problem of unemployment for directly you will have to feed again. The thing to do is to provide them with means to feed themselves. The machine age makes it absolutely necessary to place the idle multitudes in the city back upon the soil. All this talk about the building program does not solve the problem. It gives them employment, temporarily, but the building having been erected, you have the unemployed on your hands. Get the people on to the farm with a good cow, fifty hens, a few porkers where they can easily raise all of the potatoes, onions, tomatoes, beets, carrots, casting ears and various helpful greens that they can consume. They will be healthy and happy. No doubt it would be a task to secure the land, place the people on it and give them a start, but that's the only way to solve the problem of idleness and the ever increasing burden of providing for these helpless, unemployed multitudes. The doors of the nation ought to close against all foreign labor. The lawless foreign element should be shipped out of the country and there ought to be a readjustment of the great industries, perhaps less hours of toil, and a better disposition of the results of toil. But after all, our living comes out of the earth; our food and clothing are the gifts of her gracious and abundant bosom.

The people should not deceive and comfort themselves with the thought that the President of the United States can, by some hook or crook, bring prosperity. We may vote with hope, but we'll get our bread at the other end of the old hoe handle. I grew up in the country. We were by no means wealthy, or what you would call well to do; I suppose we were poor, but we did not know it. We had our sheep, raised our wool, had a loomhouse and wove the cloth that made our garments. We raised flax, wove the linen that made our summer clothes, bed sheets, tablecloths and towels. We killed hogs and had the best of bacon, the finest country hams. We always sold meat in the summer time to buy such things as we needed from the grocery. Our fuel cost no money; we cut and hauled it from the woods; when the frost came we butchered a fat heifer and had the best of beef; when the turnips got large enough we butchered a shoat and had fresh pork and turnips. We put up a barrel of kraut and buried cabbage enough to have all the fresh cabbage we wanted through the winter. We buried heaps of apples, potatoes, beets, turnips, parsnips and luxuriated in fresh vegetables without having to manipulate a can opener. In summer we had a great garden. It is delightful to have growing vegetables, to take an interest in them and form a real friendship between yourself and the growing things.

It's almost like religion to live on a farm, to love your horses and pat them on the neck, feed them well and rub them down, to hand nubbins to your friendly cows, to let the sheep lick salt out of your hand, to drive a slab down by a tomato vine, tie it up carefully. How beautiful and gracious is nature! How blessed to live on a farm, away from the noise and smoke and racket of the city; to listen with the ear of faith to voices that come down from on high and speak comfort and peace to the soul. If I were a young man entering into politics my slogan would be "back to the farm!" I would seek appropriations from the Government, not so much to build warships or to support great armies, or to build expensive structures in the cities. I would seek appropriations to buy vast tracts of land, to assist the people onto this land and help them to get started to making an honest, healthful, happy living.

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Five of the nineteen poultry demonstration flocks in Dewitt County exceed the standard of fourteen eggs per hen for the month of July as set by the A. and M. College Extension Service demonstration calendar. The highest producing flock in July had either an abundance of green feed or 5% alfalfa meal in the mash with plenty of milk. Hugo Rathkamp and Otto Hartman feed carelessly weeds for greens and they both claim the hens are very fond of them. Mrs. W. C. Koenig's flocks have laid an average of 165 1-4 eggs each in the past nine months which is 6 1-4 eggs per hen above the demonstration calendar for a year. She attributes this high production to good houses, cleaned thoroughly every week, plenty of milk all of the time and green feed practically every day, and to the high quality of stock she has secured.

Mr. Haynes of Kleberg county cut three large bunches of dates weighing about 12 pounds each, from a tree in his yard that the county agent had shown him how to pollinate in the spring. No date curing plant being available, the agent suggested that he place one bunch in the refrigerator and hang the other two in a dry place in the house. Mr. Haynes reported that about two dozen dates ripened each day and that they were like eating candy. It has been found advisable to cut the bunches as soon as they start ripening since yellow jackets and other insects attack them when ripe.

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NOTICE FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY.

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Medina County, Texas, on Monday, February 13th, A. D. 1933, at 10 o'clock A. M., in the Court House in the town of Hondo, will receive bids from any banking corporation, association or individual banker, that may desire to act as the depository of the funds of Medina County.

And banking corporation, association or individual banker in Medina County desiring to bid, shall deliver to the County Judge, on or before the time above set forth, a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on the funds of the County, computed on daily balances for the term between the date the said bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check of not less than one-half of one per cent of the county revenue of the preceding year as a guarantee of the good faith of the bidder, and that, if his bid should be accepted, he will enter into the bond as provided by law for county depositories, and upon the failure of the banking corporation, association or individual banker in said county that may be selected as such depository, to give the county required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages.

The county reserves the right to reject any and all such bids.

Given under my official hand and seal of office, this the 18th day of January, 1933.

R. J. NOONAN,
County Judge, Medina County, Tex.

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THE FARMERS ALLIANCE.

By C. W. Macune.

First President National Farmers Alliance.

Dance at D'Hanis, Sun., Feb. 5. The Farmers Alliance is remembered by many people today as a movement called the balloon dance. Ladies 25c Gents 40c. Music by Uncle Josh and his Grandsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ney of San Antonio spent the week-end here with relatives.

Miss Laurinda Rothe returned to Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, on Sunday after a week-end visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Rothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rice spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mueller and children of Hondo visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Ney returned to San Marcos Friday after a few days' visit with relatives here.

Mrs. Gertrude Saathoff, Miss Lena Saathoff and Mrs. Charles Boog visited Mrs. Annie Wendland of Hondo one day last week.

Mrs. Eugene Grimsinger of San Antonio arrived here Friday for a visit with relatives.

A. J. Finger returned Tuesday from a business trip to Ft. Worth.

Misses Mary and Maggie Langfeld of San Antonio were guests Sunday of Mrs. Frank Kimmerly.

Mrs. J. B. Oussette and children of San Antonio spent the week-end here with her mother, Mrs. Regina Deckert.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Duffin and Mr. Milton Klassing of San Antonio were guests Friday of Mrs. Mary Ann Koch and Mr. and Mrs. Will Nehr.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughter, Miss Lena, were in San Antonio Friday.

Mrs. Jack Reily and Mrs. Barnitz Carle of Hondo visited here Tuesday.

Mrs. W. L. Albrecht returned home Friday and is convalescing from an operation she underwent at Medina Hospital, Hondo.

Mrs. Robert Shane and children and Mrs. Mollie Shane of Sabinal visited Mrs. Regina Deckert Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Rothe and son, Courand, of San Antonio visited relatives here Friday.

Mrs. Christine Kiefer and son, Edmund, and Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Campbell of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wallrath and Miss Virginia Wallrath.

SOCIAL CLUB.

A lovely hospitality of the past week was the bridge party given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Reily Carle, her guests being members of the Social Club and additional friends. Misses Josie Rothe and Grace Zinsmeyer held high score among members and guests respectively, and received lovely prizes. Mrs. Arnold Zerr cut high for consolation, and Miss Lucy Rothe had low score, each receiving a prize. The hostess, assisted by her daughter, Miss Bernice, served a delicious plate lunch consisting of tuna sandwiches, potato chips, cake and coffee. Those present were Mesdames M. A. Zinsmeyer, Louis Carle, Jr., Henry Nehr, John Zinsmeyer, Arnold Zerr, Will Nehr, Henry Muenning, Don Scott, Misses Josie, Lucy and Sarah Rothe, Grace Zinsmeyer, Bernice Carle, and the hostess, Mrs. Reily Carle.

BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Herman Ney delightfully entertained the Club and several guests at bridge last Wednesday afternoon. After several interesting games were enjoyed a delicious luncheon was served. Holding high score among the members, Mrs. Ed. Finger received the prize. High guest prize was awarded to Miss Lena Reinhart and consolation to Miss Grace Zinsmeyer. Mrs. John Reiley received the prize for low score.

Those enjoying the party were Mesdames E. A. Rothe, Henry Nehr, Ed. Finger, Henry Birg, John Rieber, M. J. Finger, and Fred Rock, and Misses Grace Zinsmeyer, Cornelia Koch, Lucy Rothe, Marcella Ney, Lena Reinhart and Tina Rothe.

D'HANIS BALL GAMES.

To date the D'hanis High School has played five basketball and four volleyball games.

Two games were lost to Sabinal and one to Hondo's second team. One game was won over Hondo and one over Natalia.

February 3rd, Natalia is to play a second game, in D'hanis, in which D'hanis should win another victory.

The girls' volleyball team won four straight games over Hondo's first team.

This year D'hanis will have an even chance for county championship in Class B at the County Meet, which is to be held at Natalia.

Hondo is forced into Class A and her old rivals, Yancey and Devine, enter the same class for competition, thus leaving Natalia, LaCoste and D'hanis in Class B.

The parents are urged to encourage their children to enter some event and to see that the winners get to attend the County Meet.

The exact date of Class B Meet and the various events entered will be listed in these columns later.

YOUNG FRIEND, GET A NEW DEAL!

We will help you get it. We have for sale a scholarship of a nationally known fully accredited Commercial College in a large city of employment, where you may obtain spare time work out of school hours to earn room and board while taking your course.

A Business Training means a "meal ticket" for life, for a few months training in a business college will cover the cost of handling and storing. The consumer wishing to buy the product would simply have to buy the receipts and pay the Government what it had advanced and get it. The Government receiving back the amount advanced against a bale of

cotton must then destroy by burning up the money so received. Thereby insuring no inflation or deflation of the volume of money. This simply means that when the crops are made and dumped on the market as a disturbing influence, the Government does not let them disturb all the other lines of business in the whole nation by taking their money to handle the crops but takes over a large percent of the crop and issues new money against it which only stays in existence until the crop is demanded for consumption, which is practically every year. This system is automatic as it provides a money based on the disturbing influence to prevent a stringency, which is gradually retired as the disturbing influence is demanded for consumption. It is not class legislation because it helps all classes and gives nobody something for nothing. It would tend to promote stability in all prices and destroy the business of the speculator. And thereby hangs a tale. The large monied interests and from them on down to the cotton stem-winder, all with one accord saw their business gone by such a bill and set up such a howl of opposition and ridicule as to confuse the public and cause Congress to refuse to pass the bill.

The bill embracing the measures outlined above was known as the Sub-Treasury Bill. It was scientific, just and accurate as a means of combatting the evils of contraction and panic by the issuance of a supplemental fund to meet the demand for its existence by basing it upon the disturbing influence. And now the ingenuity and skill of all the politicians, the big men in money circles and the brains of both parties has been striving for forty years and is still striving to find some means, by Boards, Commissions, banks and other fiscal institutions to find some plan to relieve a time of stringency and accomplish what the Sub-treasury would surely do. They want some plan to base it on the judgment of men, and give some big men a rafetoff whereby the subtreasury plan based it on the disturbing influence thereby guaranteeing the right amount issued at the right time and in the right place.

STORING POTATOES IN PITS.

By L. A. Hawkins.

Agricultural Extension Department International Harvester Company.

Potatoes may be stored successfully in out-of-door pits if provision is made for good drainage and ventilation and the potatoes are given covering necessary to protect them from external heat and cold.

Good drainage is essential for success in pit storing and a well drained site, or one that can be drained, should be selected. Pits may be from ground level to two or more feet deep, but in general an excavation six inches deep is enough. For small lots circular pits may be used and potatoes piled in cone-shaped lots. Such circular pits should not be over six to eight feet in diameter and potatoes ought not be piled to a depth of over two or three feet in the cone-shaped pile.

If more than just a few bushels are to be stored the pit should be made long and narrow. The bottom of the pile should be four to six feet wide and of sufficient length to hold the amount to be stored. Judgment must be used in the length of the pit as sometimes it is better to use two pits than have an unduly long one. A layer of straw should be put in the pit to prevent the potatoes coming in contact with the soil. Potatoes should be piled in a ridge in the shape of an inverted V. Provision should be made for ventilation to permit the evaporation of moisture that may rise from the potatoes.

Piling potatoes in a ridge-like pile will expose more surface to the air and also allow for better drainage than making a flat pile.

To protect the potatoes from cold and heat, they should be covered with alternate layers of straw or hay and soil.

As soon as potatoes are in place put on a layer of straw or hay four to six inches thick when pressed down. Next put on just enough soil to prevent injury to the potatoes by light or frost. This will quickly cool off the potatoes and remove moisture resulting from the sweating process. As colder weather comes on put on

more hay or straw and another layer of earth.

These two alternate layers of straw and soil should be sufficient protection except where temperature drops to 20 degrees below zero, or lower, when an extra layer of each will be necessary. Straw layers ought to be about six inches thick when pressed down and the top layer of soil six to eight inches deep; depending upon amount of rain or snow that may be expected during the storage period.

Ventilation may be given through the use of a wooden flue or tile. The bottom end should extend well down toward the bottom of the pile and the top protrude above the top of the mound. If the mound is long two or more ventilators may be used to advantage.

The top of the ventilator should be capped and provision made against entrance of rodents. Also it is necessary to be able to close up the ventilator space in extremely cold weather.

Potatoes will keep well in a properly made storage pit.

BANKRUPT, RICH AND POOR.

As a noted writer and speaker, Oscar Ameringer has been before the public for many years. I heard him at Monte Ne last August a year ago, and he impressed me as the greatest wit I ever saw. He is a master at pointed contrasts between ridiculous extremes. His fame would have been unbounded had he not pointed his wits at the "upper ten" ruling, exploiting class. This to his credit.

The quotations below are from his editorial in the Oklahoma Guardian. "There are no yard sticks for measuring misery. There are no weights for weighing woes. There are no statistics shedding light upon the degree of worry and heartbreak in the minds of a people. If there were such things, it would be easy to prove that today we are the most unhappy people on the face of the earth."

"Oh, there is plenty of misery, woe and heartbreak in other countries, but they have at least the sorry consolation that there are rational grounds for their trouble.

"Most of them lack sufficient soil to feed their population. Outside of coal and very little iron, Germany with its 64 million souls, contains no other minerals to speak of. Austria, which before its dismemberment was more self-contained than any other continental country, is now a head without a body, while the new states cut out of the body are a mere aggregation of quivering shreds of flesh.

"England has not been able to support its population from its own soil for nearly two centuries, and if her imports of food and raw materials were cut off now, two-thirds of its population would die of famine. Italy is California, minus coal, iron, oil, cotton and a market for its fruit.

"France has almost sufficient farm land, and more than enough iron and coal for its requirements, but is compelled to import most of its raw materials. Indeed, it is only by restricting the growth of its population that France escapes the doleful fate of its neighbors.

"Moreover, all these countries have but recently passed through that four year slaughter-fest, which left an heirloom of gutted cities, devastated country-sides, destroyed industries and worn-out equipment, to say nothing about tens of millions of corpses, cripples, orphans and widows.

"Yes, there are plenty of good reasons why the countries of the Old World are in the dumps. Eat how about us? Where are the reasons, where are the nets of nature, God or devil, responsible for the suffering of our people? Get out your map of the good old U. S. A. Let's see where we stand: Nearly four million square miles, or 120 acres per family within the circle extending from Maine around our coast, up to Alaska, we have in abundance every vegetable and fruit from crabapple and cabbage to grapefruit and dates, and beneath it all, the greatest volume and variety of mineral wealth of any country on earth.

"Verily, if there ever was a people blessed with all that mother nature has to offer her children, it is the people of the United States of America. And yet gaunt hunger strides through the streets of our cities. The fear of want is in every heart. Our days are filled with worry, our nights are disturbed by evil dreams; laughter has flown from our lips; songs die in our throats; there is peace for none; security for none. High and low, sinner and saint, prophet and "boob", millionaire and beggar, we are all paupers in purse, spirit and hope.

"Put on your thinking caps fellow Americans. The richest country on earth containing the highest skilled working class on earth, equipped with the latest word in science and technology has fallen so low that it cannot even feed, clothe and shelter the producers of its wealth.

"Think of it! The largest and richest cities of the richest country on earth, have already hit the spot where they can only keep their municipal buildings open by selling their own citizens out of house and home, including their unpaid teachers, policemen, firefighters and street cleaners.

"Reason warns us in times of stress that a philosophic outlook and a cheerful frame of mind are our best allies and should be exercised to the utmost. A man is never "all in, down and out" until he admits it to himself."

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CASTROVILLE CULLINGS.

Castroville, Texas, Feb. 1, 1933

CASTROVILLE CHURCH NEWS.

Zions' Lutheran Church,

February 5th, Sunday School at

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K. KONZACK, Pastor.

standing at the back doors of legislative halls with hat in hand, begging for donations for their hungry masses. Think of sovereign states taking the pauper's oath to secure a few crumbs of charity from the Federal Government for the sovereign citizens of their bankrupt counties, cities and towns.

"Think of your community chest drives in which harassed business men moan charitable contributions for their down and out customers from alleged rich men who are flirting with suicides.

"Think of shivering American women and children competing with stray cats and homeless dogs for the food scraps in the garbage cans of our alleys, while responsible heads of government advocate the destruction of cotton, milk cows and fruit orchards in the name of eliminating over-production!"

"Think, think! Then ask yourself the question why all this misery and woe in a country that contains more than enough of everything that makes life comfortable, beautiful and secure!"

"Think, and if you think hard enough, you will find some reason for all this, in the fact that this wonderfully rich and beautiful country of ours is not our country; that U. S. does not spell us; that its wealth of natural resources and industrial equipment belong to only a few who use it, not for promoting the welfare of the Nation as a whole, but use it exclusively for private gain; and that by now this system of exploitation of the many for the benefit of the few has reached the place where the exploited are too bankrupt to purchase even the necessities of life, while the exploiter is going bankrupt too because he cannot sell the fruits of exploitation to those who created them."

"Keep on thinking and you will discover that the only alternative for this state of affairs is in an order in which production for consumption is the standing order of the day. Call such an order Socialism, Communism, or Industrial Democracy; call it what you will, but there is no other choice between that and the soul and body-killing pestilence called capitalism."

P. A. SPAIN,

Paris, Texas.

HANDWRITING FOR TAX MAKERS.

When the Post Office Department admits that three cents first-class letter postage has failed to yield an increase in revenue, and has actually caused a decrease, it submits to the law of diminishing returns. You can't make a taxpayer write letters and you can't make him use a three-cent stamp when he can use a one-cent postcard.

Congress should hear these experiences in mind when it prepares its next tax bill. It will have to make its basis of taxation so broad and spread it so thinly over a variety of articles, that it will scarcely be felt.

Otherwise, taxes will decline because over-taxed people will deny themselves exorbitantly taxed products.

Industrial News Review.

In the good year 1933 as in the years that have past, that farmer who, with the means at his hands, makes his farm as nearly self-sustaining as possible will, on the average, find his farming operations most profitable.

It is not only the American farmer's province to work out for himself a plan of operation that will best assure him such an achievement; it is his proud privilege which he should guard with jealous care against governmental intermeddlers.

Against well-meaning but meddlesome intentions.

Before a state sales tax is attempted it will be wise to first give serious consideration to what the effects will be on mercantile agencies within the state. We can ill afford to tear down our state mercantile establishments by imposing a burden upon their customers which will cause them to transfer their patronage to out-of-state mail-order concerns.

The Texas Legislature convenes in regular session January 10th. If that august body were asking FARMING for guidance our first admonition would be to set an example of respect for law by obeying the constitutional regulations that are proposed to guide it instead of flouting our fundamental law as did its predeces-

sor.

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Clean Shoes

Soap will clean shoes quickly, effectively and economically. It is safe to use on all types of shoes and different kinds of leather. Here are the instructions:

For Ordinary Leather Shoes: Remove all dust by brushing thoroughly. Wash off shoes with Ivory suds. In case of tan shoes, rub them a little harder. Then brush with shoe brush and polish. This treatment softens the leather and makes the shoes take the polish more easily. Use as little water as possible in the soap